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ONLY

For this week we will sell 3,000 dozen Hats for 25 cents, all shapes and colors 100 dozen Beautiful plumes, 22 inches long, desirable colors, only 50 cents. 5,000 dozen White Plumes, 24 inches long, only \$1.00; 300 Bunch Tips, all colors, 25 cents, 3 in a bunch.

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The above are in Ends and will only be sold by the piece. They are the best goods manufactured. 3,000 dozen Ladies Dark hose, 15c.; they are worth fully 20c. a pair. T. BEHRENDS' BALTIMORE STORE, 908 7th street, N. W.

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Grand Excursion

Monday, August 13, 1883.

Being Court Day in Loudon County, the Company have decided to give this their FIRST GRAND EXCURSION. so as to give the Citizens of Washington, Georgetown, Alexandria, Falls Church, Herndon and Guilford Stations an opportunity to visit FRIENDS IN LEESBURG and surrounding country.

The Committee of Arrangements have secured the Fair Grounds for the occasion, and the Company will be escorted to the Fair Grounds by a Citizens' Committee on the arrival of the train. All the Militia Companies of the District have been invited to take part in the Excursion and Parade, and also the Dress Drill to take place at 5

P. M. on the Fair Ground The Committee have decided to leave Washington at 9.30 A. M., so as to give Ladies and Children plenty of time to get to the 6th Street Depot on morning of August 13. Leave Leesburg 9.30 P. M. same day, and arrive in Washington in time for street cars.

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Admission 25 Cts. Children 10 Cts Under Five, Free.

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FOR THE FAIR SEX.

Ladies Wearing Insects. Were it not for the hundred and one little novelties which are constantly being devised for the elaboration of her toilet the girl of the period would die of ennui. Just at present the insect craze is upon us and the women folks are decked out with spiders, scorpions, de il's darning neelles, pinch bugs, beetles and a whole range of ug'y crawling and creeping things which are used for ornaments. This only shows the superiority of art over na-LEESBURG. VA., ture. One real bug or lively spider will thick a wo nan into convu's ons; but such is the ameliorating effect of art that she walks about with ill-concealed pride, fairly radiant under a dozen or more thousand-legged insects of blue, green, crange and red gilt. These hideous creatures are displayed in every part of the toilet, not so much for utility as ornament. They close a collar, loop a piece of drapery. fasten a bow of ribbon, lurk in the coils of prettily braided hair, peep out from the meshes of soft lace and thrust their ugliness against a pretty white

neck or wrist. Sometimes these ernaments are of wood, gray, black or moldy silver, and so true to nature in size and shape that often kind-hearted men and neryous ladies attempt to brush them off, and receive only a derisive smile for their solicitude. Such an experience t'cl les a girl's vanity, and she recites an I chuckles over the occurrence for weeks after. This bug mania is about as ugly a sp cimen of art run mad as can be imagined, and goes to show the inconsistency of a sex whose delicate sensibilities, through the dictates of fashion, can be reconciled to what, in nature, always has and always will be

regarded as repulsive. When, a couple of years ago, the wives and daughters of some South American magnate garnished their ballroom toilets with iridescent beetles, which were secured by invisible threads of wire and allowed to ramble ciety threw up her arms in horrible disgust at the absurdity, whi h, as the leaders predicted, was of short duration. But the same prophecy would b pertinent in the present case. The trinkets are made of French gilt, highly painted, and, as they come within the reach of every scullion and barmaid, it will not be long before the innova ion has run its race in popular taste.-Chicago Herald.

Well Equipped.

"Is your railroad well equipped?" Railroal president-" Well e puipped? I should say it was. Splen lidly equipped, sir, splendidly. For instance there are our first mortgage sevens, and our | British authorities. second mortgage sixes, and our equipment bonds, and our land grant bonds, and our common stock, and our preferred stock, and the biggest floating debt of any road in the country. But that isn't all, sir. We've got the finest lobby that any corporation can show; a perfect da'sy, sir. If you know of a road that's letter equipped than ours is, name it, sir; name it if vou please."-Boston Transcript.

A summer resort-Catching flies. Clara (looking at the bonnets, etc.): "Don't you think they are very handsome?" Amy (whose thoughts are on the other side of the street): "Very, 'specially the one with the black mustache."

The man who was the coolest person at the battle of Waterloo has just died. He bid in the ice-house of the chateau during the fight.

Church music is always measured

LATEST NEWS.

LONDON, August 9 .- Featherstone, Deasy | cording to a recent enumaration, is 33,298, a Flannigan and Dalton have been convicted of treason-felony in Liverpool and sentenced to lifelong penal servitude.

repeated. There were 627 deaths from cholera in

Egypt on Wednesday. The statements in regard to the extent and

importance of the military uprising in Spain are contradictory.

has been sent to prison for three months for inciting men to socialist riot.

but have not been permitted to land. Morris Scharf, the boy witness in the recent Jewish trials in Hungary, has confessed his perjury. Thirty-two persons who took part in the riots against his father and other

Jews in Pesth have been arrested. The country is in a very agitated condition. A revolution is momentarily expected in this city. The government is penniless and business is at a standstill. The town of Jacmel has pronounced in favor of revolution, and a pronunciamento is immediately expected at Cape Haytien. A great battle covernment troops were completely defeated, and several of their generals were taken and executed .- Haytian Dispatch.

At Lorah, Iowa, nine freight cars were blown from the track. Near Odebolt, Mrs. Larson was killed and several other persons were wounded. In some places hail fell to the depth of five feet. The loss will prob-

ably exceed half a million. Explorations of a recently discovered cave at the base of Lookout Mountain, opening at low water on the edge of the Tennessee river, three miles from Chattanooga, have developed a wonderful cave of unknown depths. At the extreme point of exploration a very large lake was encountried, into which the water poured over a fall I50 feet high with a noise like thunder.

An agent of the Treasury Department now at San Francisco says that during the past ten years \$6,000,000 worth of opium has been smuggled into that port, and that the smugglers have been assisted by corrupt customs officials, who have received 30 per cent. of the profits. Application has been made for a charter

for the Harrisburg and Southwestern Rail road Company; capital \$5,000,000. The road will be 90 miles in length through Dauphin-Cumberland and Franklin counties. Robert H. Sayre, of Bethlehem, Pa., is president of the company. The board of public works, Governor Hamton, Comptroller Keating and Treasurer Compton all present, met at Annapolis and

timore and Ohio Railroad Company for their bridge over the Susquehanna river, 90 feet above tidewater. Five sad-eyed members of the Chinese Moy were consigned to the penitentiary at Trenton, N. J., each to serve one year's imprisonment for the assault upon Lung Poy. fellow countryman. Theirl ong queges were clipped off amid great lamentations,

approved of the plans submitted by the Bal-

but have been preserved for them. The national party of New Jersey, at their convention at Asbury Park, adopted a platform favoring governmental control of railroads and telegraph lines, demanding that all money issued should be a legal-tender, and favoring a postal-telegraph service and equal taxation. A section in favor of female suffrage was adopted after a warm discussion, but one asking for prohibition law was

The recent fire at Baltimore destroyed thirty-two houses, mostly occupied by poor

A fire at Meridian Miss., cesiroyed three blocks of residences and tenement houses. A high wind prevailed, threatening the de struction of the whole town. Loss estimated at 50,000; insurance, \$20,000.

A fire at Richmond, Va., destroyed A. M. Lyon & Company's tobacco factory, Wm. A. Waldron's manufactory of tobacco machinery, G. P. Hawes & Co.'s saw and file works, and damaged other buildings.

At Danville, Va., a fire destroyed the cotton factory of E. L. & A. Gerst, tobacco warehouse of S. H. Holland & Co., the tobacco | House of Commons last night, strongly from an expensive school, and says over the satin bodice and corsage, so- factory of Hale, Hickey & Oyer, and the tobacco factory of W. F. Low and several outhouses. The loss is estimated at \$150,000; insurance, \$II6,000.

GENERAL NEWS.

LONDON, August 8 .--- At the Lord Mayor's banquet in London yesterday Mr. Gladstone spoke upon the affairs of England in Egypt, Madagascar and Ireland.

The demonstrations against the Jews have been renewed in Pesth. Pool has been committed to trial in Dublin for killing Kenny.

Thirteen Sailors have been lost in a collison between two Norweigan barks off Dover. The report that the late King Cetewayo is not yet dead is to be investigated by the

The anniversary of the entry of Martin Luther in o the town of Erfurt, Prussia. was celebrated with festivities. The mandrains at Hue, the capital of

Annam, have refused to recognize Phudue as the successor of the late King Tu-due. Cholera is increasing in Alexandria and abating in the interior of Egypt. There is trouble in Cairo over the condition of pa- jail tients in the madhouse

The trial of Cannon Bernard at Tournay. Belgium, on a charge of abstracting papers and securities from the diocese of Tournay. has caused painful feelings in religious

A dispatch from Yates Centre, Kansas, says that parties engaged in digging a well on Gov. Dale's farm, five miles northwest of that place, at a depth of twenty feet, struck a large vein of silver ore specimens of which were assayed, and found to be very rich. Governor Blackburn, of Kentucky, during

his incumbency has pardoned 845 criminals. The latest abuse of his "executive clemency" was Saturday in the case of a murderder named Clarence Rutherford, who professed religion and joined the Methodist Episcopal Church at the instance of Mrs. Blackburn.

Governor Pattison, of Pennsylvania, has approved the Judicial Apportionment bill.

gain of 4,012 in one year. A large fire broke out at the northwest corner of Lexington and Arch streets, Balti-The denial of Cetewayo's death is again | more, and spread to a number of buildings. The food was brought. He sat with thankiv causing a total loss of about \$95,000.

The Alexandria, Va., Gazette publishes an account of a duel fought near Leesburg be tween Drs. McGill, of that town, and West, of Goresville, in which, however, neither was

M. Feuillant, editor of the Paris Gaulois, A Lynchburg, Va, di patch says: "The drought is getting to be serious in all that Hanlon and Smith and other Phoenix Park of any consequence for several weeks, and informers have arrived at Sydney, N. S. W., the corn and tobacco are suffering severely. The murder of John McCauley in Westmoreland county, Pa., by his son John proves to have been one of the most coldblooded assassinations ever committed. Twelve buckshot were taken from the person

> of the father. The failure of Joe Barlow causes much uneasiness among the depositors of the Vermont National Bank and Trust Company at St. Albans. The ability of the Trust Company to pay its pepositors depends on the leniency of Barlow's creditors.

> London, August 7 .-- The family of Scharf, who was one of the defendants in the Jewish trial at Nyireghyhaza, Hungary, was mobbed at Pesth yesterday. The police had to be called out to disperse the mob.

The cholera is slowly subsiding in Egypt-M. Sauton, a member of the municipal council of Paris, and M. Mayer, editor of the Lanterne, fought a duel yesterday. M. Sauton was wounded in the neck, hand and

Emperor William, of Germany, with the Prince of Reuss, has arrived at Salzburg. He will be met at Ebensee by Emperor Francis Joseph, of Austria, who will escort

James McDermott was arrested in Liver. ool, Mondsy, and remanded to jail on a charge of being engaged in a conspiracy to ourder public officials. He said he was an merican citizen and would call upon the merican government to protect him.

The authorities of Elvas, Portugal, have isarmed nine hundred insurgents and some ivilian fugitives from Badajoz. It is roeported that the object of the rising was to over up a robbery of public money, and hat a deficiency of £9,600 has been discovred in the Badajoz treasury. There has been a run on the Second

National Bank of Elmira, N. Y., caused by a rumor that its president, Mr. D. R. Pratt, had lost \$150,000 in pork speculations. It is claimed that Mr. Pratt can stand the loss, and that the bank is entirely solvent. Some little stir has been made at Saratoga and other distinguished watering places, in consequence of box renters at the postoffices,

having to pay fifty cents upon the receipt of

a lock box key. When the key is returned the

money is returned. Capt. Wilson, of the fever-stricken English steamship at Baltimore, gives a dreadful account of the fever at Vera Cruz. He says | board and mattress. foreign vessels are the worst sufferers, Norwegians being in the majority. Many of them have been abandoned by everyone but the captain or mates, and no wages will induce men to assist in taking them out of the harbor. Captain Wilson noticed the American schooner Stella abandoned, and before he left an American bark had sailed, but returned to port in twenty-four hours with all

her crew sick. The Georgia legislature has passed the general local option law for the State. A prominent lawyer of Baltimore was shot parties were of the highest standing.

The Texas fever has broken out among native cattle at Dodge City, Kansas, and they are dying off in great numbers. One man has been arrested for driving in cattle affected with fever.

The discovery of a deposit of tin in the

Blue Ridge between Amberst and Rockbridge counties, Va., is reliably reported If so, it is a most important discovery--the tirst of the kind yet made in the United

torate over Egypt was not intended. Mirabeau was wounded in the arm. The cholera still rages in Egypt.

The Republican revolt in Spain has been suppressed. It is reported that one hundred Hebrews have been massacred in Russia. The North German Gazetie says the con-

divion of Prince Bismarck's health requires his complete seclusion and repose. M. Etienne, member of the French Chamber of Deputies for Oran, fought a duel yes terday with a journalist named Mirabeau.

America that he will be unable to visit this country until after the coming general election in Great Britain and Ireland. M. Waddington, the new French ambassador to Great Britain, speaking at a work-

was one of peace and good will. over T. J. Morrow.

The tramp pedler who is guilty of an outrage upon little Gertrude Virts, has been

Mayor Vroom has issued an order forbidding the Salvation Army from parading in Trenton, N. J., hereafter with any kind of A bale of new cotton, weighing 465 pounds

has been received at Montgomery, Ala. It was sold for 13 cents a pound, and was shipped to Mobile. A. J. Lynn and his wife, residing at Easton, Pa., became intoxicated and had a difficulty

with the family of August Poyck. The Lynns were arrested and committed for want of bail to keep the peace. They were served from which Poyck, his wife and eight children were in the habit of drawing water for drinking purposes. The poison was discovered after the arrest upon information of a neighbor-

The Stranger.

AN EASTERN LEGEND The population of Wheeling, W. Va., ac- An aged man came late to Abraham's tent. The sky was dark, and all the plain was bare. He asked for been l; his strength was we'lnigh spent;

His haggard look implored the tenderest care.

But spake no grace, sor bowed he toward the

Sate-sheltered here from dark and angre The bounteous table seemed a royal feast.

But ere his hand had touched the tempting

portion of Virginia. There has been no rain | The Patriarch rose, and leaning on his rod, "Stranger," he said, "dost thou not bow in

Dost thou not fear, dost thou not worship,

He answered, "Nay." The Patriarch sadly "Thou hast my pity. Go! eat not my

Another came that wild and fearful night. The fierce winds raged, and darker grew the

But all the tent was filled with wondrous And Abraham knew the Lord his God was

"Where is that aged man?" the Presence "That asked for shelter from the driving blast? Who made thee master of thy Master's bread?

What right hadst thou the wanderer forth to 'Forgive me, Lord," the Patriarch answe

With downcast look, with bowed and trem-"Ab, me! the stranger might with me have

"I've borne him long," God said, "and still Couldst thou not lodge him one night in thy

- Walface Bruce, in Harper's Magazine.

But, Oh my God, he would not worship Thee."

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

Beats all—the tramp.

A tailor's goose-the dude. The gunner's style of hair-Bangs. The lawyer's usual garment-Long

When a man loses his temper he al-

ways gets another that is much worse. Teacher: "Can you tell me which is the olfactory organ?" Pupil frankly answers, "No, sir." Teacher: "Correct." Pupil goes off in a brown study. Miss Edith Thomas inquires at the top of a poem, " Where Are the Springs

of Long Ago?" No one can be quite

certain, but it is possible that they were put in the garret with the head-An observing pedestrian has made the startling discovery that the reason why women cannot succeed as well as man in walks of life, is because when she is on the walks one hand is

usually employed in holding up her Even the "old watch-dog of the treasury," with the nation's millions behind him, could not assume the malignant expression of jealous vigiy his wife, who, it is alleged, is insane. The lance which is worn by an old hen studiously sitting on a broken tumbler

> and two door-knobs. A boaster in a hotel was telling of the many sections of the country that he had visited. A fellow at his elbow asked, "Have you ever been in Algebra?" "Oh, yes," said the boaster. "I passed through there on the top of a stage coach about a year ago."

A proud father has been question-London, August 6 .- - Mr. Gladstone, in the ing his son, who has just returned reiterated that a permanent British protecfive correctly in every branch of his studies. To four questions out of the five the boy says, "I don't know, and this answer is always the true one When he hazards any other it is apt

Power of Habit.

The power of habit, so-called second nature, is well illustrated in our every day's doings. It grows so strong and Mr. Parnell has sent a cable message to clings to-us so like the ivy in its tenacity that it oft becomes a ruling passion strong in death. It is well illustrated by a little incident that occurred last Sunday in one of our leading churches. men's fete at Hastings, England, yesterday, Our telephone exchange is very effisaid he wished all to know that his mission ciently presided over by young ladies, one of whom was the innocent cause Hon. Proctor Knott has been elected of the mirth at the church referred to Governor of Kentucky by 45,000 majority in our remarks above. In her daily toil she shouts "Hello!" "Hello!" from the moment her duties begin until the captured at Hagerstown, Md., and put in close. On last Sabbath she nodded as even Homer did when the preaching was long. She was suddenly awakened by the silvery tinkling of bells, and raising up in her seat, and placing her prayer book to her ear as she would an ear-phone, she shouted "Hello" hello! Central office." The scene can better be imagined than described .-Bloomington Eye.

Two medical schools for women ar: to be established in the province of with a warrant charging them with having Ontario, one in Toronto and one in put nearly a pound of Paris green in a cistern Kingston, and the Toronto Globe says that in this respect the women of the province will be better off than they are in the matter of higher education in general.